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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR VETTING UNDER LEAHY AMENDMENT OF

MOROCCAN NATIONAL(S)

REF: RSO 09-03

Request that the Department of State initiate a Departmental review of the following Moroccan national(s) who will be participating in U.S. sponsored IBIT (International Border Interdiction Training) ON JUNE 15-19, 2009, in MCALLEN, TEXAS.

From the Police:

Rank: Police Officer Name: Bachir EL HAMDOUNI

DOB: 1961

POB: Kssar El Kebir, Morocco Duties: Bab-Sebta Border Post

Rank: Police Officer Name: Hassane EL HOSNI

DOB: 1966

POB: Meknes, Morocco

Duties: Bab-Sebta Border Post

Rank: Chief of Police Name: Anis CHADLI DOB: 26 September 1975 POB: Meknes, Morocco

Duties: Beni-Enzar Border Post

Rank: Police Officer Name: Ahmed EL HAMI DOB: 06 February 1975 POB: Fez, Morocco

Duties: Beni-Enzar Border Post

Rank: Peace Officer Name: Ali AHANNOUCH DOB: 25 October 1970 POB: Oujda, Morocco

Duties: Beni-Enzar Border Post

Rank: Principal Officer of Police

Name: Mohammed BOUZELMAT DOB: 28 November 1964 POB: Oujda, Morocco

Duties: Zouj-Beghal Border Post

Rank: Principal Officer of Police

Name: Mounir GHEZOUTI DOB: 26 January 1973 POB: Jerada, Morocco

Duties: Zouj-Beghal Border Post

Rank: Chief of Police Name: Abdelhay ABOUZARA DOB: 13 December 1972 POB: El Ghara, Morocco

Duties: Guergarate Border Post

From Customs:

Rank: Customs Official Name: Mohamed AJDAINI DOB: 03 March 1957 POB: Oujda, Morocco

CIN: B687521

Duties: Central Region Command

Rank: Customs Official Name: Mustapha SGHIMOUT DOB: 18 February 1966 POB: Casablanca, Morocco

CIN: BE424344

Duties: North-West Region Command

Rank: Customs Official Name: Abdelkader BATTANI DOB: 28 November 1971 POB: Ksar Kebir, Morocco

CIN: LB031842

Duties: North-West Region Command

Rank: Customs Official

Name: Abdel Hakim BENABDELLAH

DOB: 04 May 1969 POB: Morocco CIN: CB0017823

Duties: North-East Region Command

Rank: Customs Official Name: Mohamed TARIB DOB: 7 May 1967

POB: Casablanca, Morocco

CIN: BJ62659

Duties: Casa Port Command

Rank: Customs Official

Name: Said RACH DOB: 11 July 1966

POB: Casablanca, Morocco

CIN: BH055541

Duties: Laayoune District

Rank: Customs Official - Trainer Name: Moulay Abdessalam OUSAFI

DOB: 1 January 1958

POB: Enjil Boulemane, Morocco

CIN: C 94559

Duties: Resources and Programs Offices (CFD)

Rank: Customs Official Name: El Mehdi BOUJENANE

DOB: 12 July 1955

POB: Khemisset, Morocco

CIN: G 019490

Duties: Agadir District

Purpose: Participate in International Border Interdiction Training (IBIT). This training is sponsored by the Bureau of Customs and Border Protection (CBP), Office of International Affairs, and will take place on June 15-19, 2009 in McAllen, Texas.

- 12. The Political Section and Defense Attache Office have completed an internal vetting of the Moroccan national (s) listed above for human rights violations and have found no derogatory information.
- 13. The Department's prompt consideration and reply to this request is greatly appreciated. Embassy Rabat POC is Political Officer Siriana Nair, commercial phone (212) 1537668064.

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